

61 (new). A host system of claim 60, wherein the host system is an insect or a mammalian cell.

REMARKS

Claims 1-43 were pending in the subject application, and have been cancelled without prejudice and replaced by claims 44-61, now pending and under consideration.

Support for the new claims is found in the parent application. No new matter is added.

In the parent application U.S. Serial No. 08/095,640, the claims were restricted into Group I: claims 44-57, drawn to protein and antibody, Group II: claims 58-82, drawn to DNA, vector, and host, and Group III: claims 83-84, drawn to a method of isolating proteins, and further restricted into species, a 55 kD protein and a 75 kD protein. The 55 kD protein of Group I was elected in the parent application. This divisional application is directed to the DNA, vector, and host of Group III encoding the 55 kD protein, which was subject matter not elected for prosecution in the parent application.

Applicants respectfully request that these amendments be entered.

Respectfully submitted,

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